



2027 NCAGT Leadership through Service Award

The Leadership through Service Award was established by NCAGT to recognize distinguished leadership through service by an AIG student enrolled in grades 7-12. The student named as the Leadership through Service Award recipient will receive a \$250 check and a NCAGT Certificate of Excellence. Parents/caregivers of the winner will also receive a complimentary one year parent membership to NCAGT.

Nomination Criteria

1. Students must be enrolled in grades 7 – 12 at the time of nomination.
2. Students must show outstanding distinguished leadership through service.
3. Students must be nominated by a current NCAGT member.

Application

The Digital Application can be found [here](#). This application asks for student information as well as the following in the form of **DIGITAL LINKS**:

1. Student Nominees must submit the following information in any format (essay, audio, video, etc):
 - a description of the service-related activity for which the student is being nominated
 - how the student got interested in the service activity
 - what inspiration the service activity has had on the student and on others
2. Student Nominees are encouraged to attach any relevant supporting materials such as newspaper clippings and/or photos that may further inform the selection committee.
3. Applications must include two recommendations from someone other than a nominee's family member, explaining why the student nominee is deserving of the award, what sets him or her apart from other students, and how the nominee is impacting others.

These must be included as a DIGITAL LINK (Google Doc, OneDrive Doc, Audio, Video, etc.) Make sure the LINK is able to be opened by ANYONE with the link.

Nomination Form must be completed before midnight **December 15, 2026.**

Please contact the Awards Committee at awards@ncagt.org should you have any questions about the applications or submission process.